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## **COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA**

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### **NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION NUMBER 013-220, LOWER GREAT WICOMICO RIVER**

**EFFECTIVE 8 DECEMBER 2008**

Pursuant to Title 28.2, Chapter 8, §§28.2-803 through 28.2-808, §32.1-20, and §2.2-4002, B.16 of the *Code of Virginia*:

1. The "Notice and Description of Shellfish Area Condemnation Number 013-220, Lower Great Wicomico River," effective 7 April 2008, is cancelled effective 8 December 2008.
2. Condemned Shellfish Area Number 013-220, shown as Sections A through G, is hereby established effective 8 December 2008. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in Section 28.2-810 of the *Code of Virginia*. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Lower Great Wicomico River, Condemned Shellfish Number 013-220, 8 December 2008" which is part of this notice.
3. Seasonally Condemned Shellfish Area Number 013-220, shown as Section M1, is hereby established effective 1 April 2009, and shall remain in force annually thereafter for the period beginning the first day of April through the last day of October until rescinded. It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to take shellfish from this area during such period for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in §28.2-810 of the *Code of Virginia*. The boundaries of this area are shown on the map titled "Lower Great Wicomico River, Condemned Shellfish Number 013-220, 8 December 2008" which is part of this notice.
4. The Department of Health will receive, consider and respond to petitions by any interested person at any time with respect to reconsideration or revision of this order.

### **BOUNDARIES OF CONDEMNED AREA NUMBER 013-220**

- A. The condemned area shall include that portion of Warehouse Creek and its tributaries lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°50'51.4", -76°19'03.1") and map coordinate (37°50'47.0", -76°18'57.3").

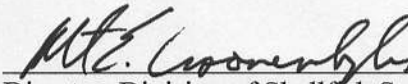


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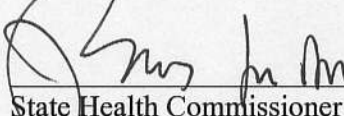
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- B. The condemned area shall include that portion of Whays Creek and its tributaries lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°50'17.9", -76°18'43.7") and map coordinate (37°50'15.8", -76°18'39.1").
- C. The condemned area shall include that portion of Cranes Creek and its tributaries lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°48'53.4", -76°19'29.2") and map coordinate (37°48'49.2", -76°19'25.5").
- D. The condemned area shall include all of Gougher Creek and its tributaries lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°50'00.2", -76°19'28.8") and map coordinate (37°49'57.5", -76°19'26.1").
- E. The condemned area shall include that portion of Reason Creek lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°50'00.2", -76°17'42.1" and map coordinate (37°50'04.5", -76°17'40.6").
- F. The condemned area shall include that portion of Reason Creek lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°50'06.3", -76°17'43.3") and map coordinate (37°50'06.6", -76°17'48.0").
- G. The condemned area shall include that portion of Cranes Creek and its tributaries lying upstream of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°49'04.7", -76°19'28.3") and map coordinate (37°49'00.5", -76°19'31.4").
- M1. The seasonally condemned area shall include that portion of Cranes Creek lying inland of a line drawn between latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°48'56.8", -76°18'48.1") and map coordinate (37°48'56.5", -76°19'06.0").

Recommended by:

  
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Director, Division of Shellfish Sanitation

Ordered by:

  
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State Health Commissioner

11/21/08  
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Date

**Virginia Department of Health  
Lower Great Wicomico River  
Condemned Shellfish Area Number 013-220  
8 December 2008**

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